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THEIR WORK IN THE SOUTH.

A Handsome Gift to Ferguson's and Williams' School.

December 5th, 1882, Miss Ella Virginia Chase (familiarly called Jennie Chase), one of the best teachers in the public schools of Washington city, married the Rev. E. W. Williams and went to Abbeville, South Carolina. They soon saw the needs of their peopyle from an industrial and educational point of view, and in January, 1883, founded the institution which they have presided over for about twenty-six years — Ferguson Williams College.

At the very start they introduced into their school industrial work, which was regarded as an innovation among those for whom they labored.

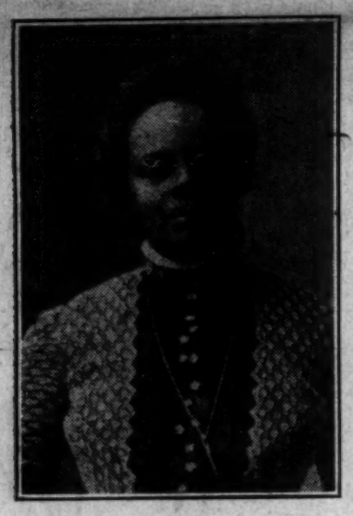
The enlargement of their work has been hampered for want of funds. But, notwithstanding this, they operated the departments of domestic science and art for the girls, and gardening and farming for the boys, as well as the academic courses.

Their present quarters are inadequate and the buildings too small to accommodate the many students who desire to attend the institution. Hence the Rev. Mr. Williams has secured a forty-acre tract of land, to which he contemplates moving the present buildings and erecting others, including a domestic science hall.

The first gift received for this purpose was from the late Mrs. Fannie Graves Lathorn, a Christian Southern woman. A noble character! She was only known to the Rev. E. W. and Mrs. Williams through correspondence.

The following is Mrs. Fanny G. Lathorn's bequest to various charitable objects:

I give to Mr. Snedecoe, secretary of the Southern Presbyterian Board of Evangelizations the sum of four hundred dollars for the improvement of and removing of Rev. Mr. Williams' college at Abbeville, South Carolina.



Also the sum of one hundred dollars to the Rev. Mr. Williams and his wife, of said college, to use as they please. Also the sum of eighty dollars to Mr. Williams for the use of a certain poor, sick missionary colored boy who is now in the care of the same Rev. Mr. Williams. All the rest and residue of my etsate I give, devise and bequeath to the American Tract Society, mentioned in Item IX of this will, and to the Rev. Mr. Snedecoe in trust for the use of the school at Abbeville, South Carolina, and to the Rev. Mr. Williams, mentioned in Item V777, who is the president. The portions shall be,one half to the American Tract Society and of the other half the school shall have four-fifths and the Rev. Mr. Williams and his wife one-fifth.

Who next will assist this great work? From the institution have gone many men and women who are doing useful work in all walks of life, as uplifters of their race. The immediate need is more money for the erection of new buildings.

COL. PHIL. WATERS.

From the Charleston (W. Va.) Gazette.

Among the many colored applicants for the position of State Librarian, made vacant by the death of the late Sam Starks, the one that looms biggest to those who are not politically interested in the appointment is that of Phil Waters. There is not much hope that Waters can ever be appointed (but these reasons are political.) He is qualified in every way for the position both by experience and education. He has been Librarian of the House of Delegates, corporation clerk of the Secretary of State's office, clerk of the Finance Committee of the city of Charleston, chief clerk of Finance Committee of State Senate and of Finance Committee of House of Delegates, two sessions, and has held many other positions all tending to fit him for the office. Apart from this is his wide acquaintance among the leading lawyers of the State, and his personality has won him many friends. He is polite and affable, and competent.

If a colored man is to have the position Democrats would pick him and Republicans would not object.

But political reasons will probably crush him.

THE DEMOSTHENES.

From Charleston (W.Va.) Mail.

Recently Phil Waters, the Demosthenes of the colored race, was honored again by the Republicans of the Fifth Congressional District, who elected him, for the fifth time, a member at large of the Congressional Committee of the Disrict. At present Waters is an efficient assistant in the clerk's office of the Supreme Court of Appeals. He is one of the brightest young men of his race and has been of valuable assistance in making majorities in the Third District.

THE ELECTION.

Chairman Bieber Knocks Out a Trick.

The election for delegates to the National Republican Convention was held last Tuesday, which resulted in the election of Henry F. Flathers and R. R. Horner as delegatess, and Daniel Murray and Dr. William Tindall as alternates.

The withdrawal of the Burt-Patterson ticket caused no little consternation among those who had anticipated a large rake-down. The supposed friends of Chairman Bieber inaugurated a scheme to defeat his election for National Committeeman by the defeat of his ticket. Chairman Bieber was made wise, and the political traitors were defeated. They received a just rebuke.

One man struck Chairman Bieber for three hundred dollars for his church. It was quite evident in Chairman Bieber's mind that the church would never see it, so he kept a string to it.

The judges did up the business in a systematic and scientific manner. Previous to the day of the election there were fully two hundred hungry-looking politicians in and around the headquarters, 609 F street northwest. Candidate Horner left his office about 6.30 p.m.; boarded a Seventh-Street car,and left for his home. He ducked the blow. Chairman Bieber wore a smile that would not come off. That smile will remain until after he is named National Committeeman by the delegation.

The fight for National Committeeman was begun as far back as December, 1907, and Chairman Bieber never lost an opportunity to impress that fact on the minds of the voters.

In the Fourteenth District Mr. Douglass P. Syphax polled a large complimentary vote, and had he been in the fight there is no doubt that he would have been elected.

Mr. Gaskins was sold out, body and soul; but he made a game fight. Attorney Gaskins was impressed with the idea that politics was as fair and just as the law. Between now and 1911 he will have been convinced that there is a difference, and he will act accordingly.

Mr. Horner declared some time ago that he would never vote for Mr Taft. The prediction of The Bee is that both delegates will be found in the Taft column, either on the first or the second ballot. All is quiet and serene and the medicine that was dosed out for Mr. Bieber was given to his foes.

There is much rejoicing at the City postoffice over the appointment of Mr. Haycock. One friend prayed for the change for over sx months.

Rev. F. A. Walker, pastor of the Divinity Baptist Church, is one of our rising young divines.

What I Saw And Heard

Why make admiration at a fellow creature who happens to lose office or money when today princes of the royal blood work. Take, for instance, Prince Paleologue of Greece, working for five dollars per week, lost his job and now filling the position of escort to women shoppers. If we would learn to help more those who are down we would help to a great extent to solve the Negro problem of the United States. United efforts; mutual benefits.

Mrs. James Wright of Memphis, Tenn., white, shot and killed Leila Gorden, colored, and started to shoot Mary Davis, also colored, last week. She was arrested.

A spiritualist mask has been adopted by mediums to allay skepticism in receiving messages from the dead.

Henry Chadwick, aged eighty-three years, the father of baseball, died last week of pneumonia at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Judge Levine of Cleveland defines kissing as assault and battery. He fined Jacob Gideon $25 and costs, besides thirty days in the workhouse.

The Methodist preachers of Wilmington, Del.,have decided that women shall not wear large hats in church.

It is with regret we announce the departure to the Unseen Temple of Ill. Noble J. B. Montgomery, Thirty-third degree, of the Oasis of Alexandria, Va. Deceased was a prominent craftsman of Virginia.

Ill. J. H. Adams, Thirty-third degree, is connected with the House Annex, Engineers' Department.

Last Friday iron and double irons were abolished from the Navy as punishment of its crews in the future.

Last Saturday Richard Baltimore, son of Professor Baltimore, was married at the home of the bride, Third street southwest, at twelve o'clock noon. Large number present.

Mrs. William G. Conrad, of Montana, wife of the Copper King, is booming her husband for the Vice Presidency by her pink teas.

Goldfield wants Packey McFarland, of Chicago, to fight Joe Gans, July 4, for $20,000, and forty-five rounds.

Miss Lottie Johnson, of 125 D street sontwest, is sick.

Mr. A. L. Macbeth, of Charleston, S. C., custodian of exhibits in he Negro Department of the Jamestown Exposition, has been in the city his week circulating among his old friends. He has been the recipient of many social courtesies, and addressed the student-body of Howard University Tuesday. Mr. Macbeth is an experienced photographic artist, and will be the official photographer of the A. M. E. Conference at Norfolk next mouth. Mr. Macbeth is to embark in business at Norfolk, operating a moving picture circuit in connection with his studio work.

Mrs. Henry Lassiter, of 1215 Seventeenth street northwest, is rapidly recovering from a serious illness, and will soon be able to resume her place in the social world.

Mrs. Madge Dyer White is making elaborate preparations for the production of the "Moon Queen" on next Friday evening at True Reformers' Hall.

St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church rendered Sir John Stainer's oratorio "The Crucifixion" in magnificent style last Friday evening. The augmented choir of one hundred voices was directed by Mr. Ernest Amos, who also carried the bass solos and recitatives with excellent effect. The tenor roles were well rendered by Mr. George Henry Murray. Miss Emma J. Murray presided at the organ. The occasion was made especially notable by the presence of Miss Ethel Roosevelt,daughter of President Roosevelt, who is a teacher in St.Mary's Sabbath School. Vicar-Rector O. L. Mitchell was assisted during the evening by Rector Roland Cotton Smith, of St. John's, of which stately church St. Mary's is a mission.

The executive committee of the National Medical Association is getting things in shape to make the next meeting the best that has yet been held. One of the most prominent features of the New York session in August will be the report of the committee on education and the adoption of plans looking to the improvement of Negro medical schools. The committee appointed to report on this work is composed of Dr. H. F. Gamble, of Charleston, W. Va., who is chairman of the executive board; Dr. John E. Hunter, of Lexington, Ky., and Dr. J. Q. McDougall, of Philadelphia. The success and magnitude of the Medical Association is due in large measure to Dr. John A. Kenney, of Tuskegee Institute, the energetic secretary, assisted by Drs. W. H. Wright, the president, Drs. H. F. Gamble, Charles Roberts, A. Wilberforce Williams, A. M. Curtis, George C. Hall, H. S. McCard, Amanda V. Gray and others. Dr. P. A. Johnson, of New York, chairman of the local committee on next meeting, is very prominently mentioned in connection with the next presidency.

It is pretty generally conceded that among those certain to win out at the Norfolk General Conference is Mr. Ira T. Bryant, who aspires to be secretary of the Sunday School Union of the A. M. E. Church.

At the regular meeting of the Mu-So-Lit musical, social and literary organization, for men, the following well-known persons were elected, to membershhip: Messrs. . H. Clifford, of Ohio; R. W. Thompson, Indiana; J. William Mayes, New Jersey; Walter J. Singleton, Nebraska, and Arthur G. Newman, of the District of Columbia.

Dr. E. D. Williston, the popular physician, has been visiting his mother, in Fayetteville, N. C.

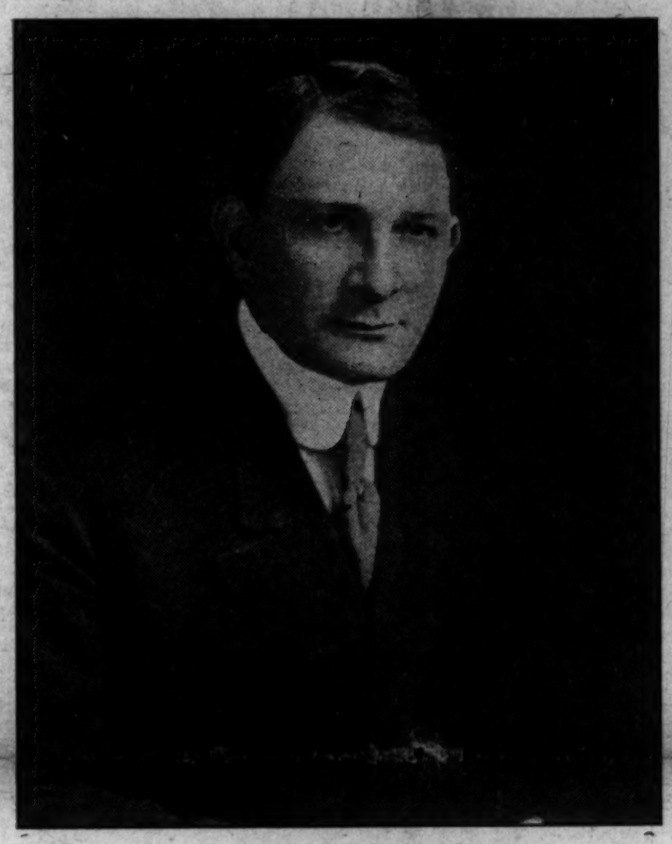
Miss Arsine Elizabeth Jones, of New Haven, who served so capably last year as secretary to Chairman Calloway and as assistant to Special Agent Thompson, of the Negro Department of the Jamestown Exposition, has located here as stenographer in chief of the National Benefit Association, of which Mr. S. W. Rutherford is the official head. Miss Jones is an expert in her line, and will prove a valuable acquisition to this far-reaching institution. She is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thompson, of 1348 Wallach Place.

Mrs. Ruby Page Hughes has resigned her position at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

Mr. Emmett Jackson, of the Twenty-fourth Infantry, stationed at Fort Madison, N. Y., was in the city last week, visiting his parents, after an absence of ten years. His brother, Mr. H. Oliver Jackson, of Philadelphia, came down also, and the meeting took on the aspect of a family reunion at the homestead, 1407 East Capitol street.

Mrs. Bessie DeLapsley Carttier, of 1346 Wallach Place, will visit her old home at Greystone Manor, Philadelphia, next month, in company with her sister, Mrs. Josephine D. Henderson-Heard, of Morris Brown College, Atlanta, Ga.

Congressman P. P. Campbell, of Kansas, the peerless orator, who did so much to defeat the infamous Heflin "Jim Crow" car amendment, designed to provide separate cars for Negroes in Washington, will be greeted by a big crowd next Friday evening at Metropolitan A. M. E. Church. Mr. Henry Lassiter, who so successfully managed the recent Booker T. Washington demonstration, is again in charge of the arrangements ,and as he never does things by halves a perfect program may be expected.



MR. SIDNEY BIEBER.
The Next Member of the National Committee for District of Columbia.

S. LAING WILLIAMS' APPOINTMENT.

Gives Widespread Satusfaction to the Rank and File of Negro Republicans of the Country—The Administration Scores a Tremendous Hit.

The appointment of Mr. S. Laing Williams, of Chicvago, as Assistant United States Attorney, in charge of naturalization, has given unqualified satisfaction to the colored people at his home and throughout the country and has placed the Administration in favor in many camps heretofore disposed to be hostile or suspicious of its attitude toward the race. So potent, it seems, was the appointment in bringing order out of chaos in the Chicago political atmosphere that the convention of the First Congressional District, represented by Mr. Martin B. Madden, in which reside nearly twelve thousand Negro voters, the two delegates selected were instructed for Taft, taking this husky slice of strength from Cannon, with a score Messrs. Oscar DePriest, the County Commissioner, and Edgar H. Wright, are coolred leaders of acknowledged influence and standing. They and their thousands of supportes are honorable and upright citizens, patriotic and race-loving to the last degree, and no one with an ounce of gumption will pretend to say they would risk their future by throwing their influence to the Secretay of War, as against Cannon and the rest, did they not conscientiously believe that his nomination and election hold out the promise of the greatest good to their people. The result in this highly-colored district is said to have put a quietus upon the silly talk that the Negroes of Illinois are unaletrably opposed to Taft, and would support a Democrat in preference to him.

of colored delegates sitting in the convention and co-operating heartily in the rather surprising program. The two alternate delegates chosen,

PARAGRAPHIC NEWS

By Miss Beatriz L. Chase.

Attorney General Bonaparte holds that the bill increasing the pensions of widows of the Civil War is not invalid because the President signed it on Sunday. He says without the President's signature at all the bill would have become a law within a period of ten days.

The recent returns from the police census show an increase in the population of the District of Columbia. Total population 33,403; 241,920 classed as white, and 7,483 classed as colored.

The death of Mrs. Clara Florida Bacchus Lyon, the wife of Rev. Dr. Ernest Lyon, American Minister to Liberia, was sudden, and the funeral took place the 11th of last, month, and was attended by State officials, Diplomatic Corps, and citizens. Mrs. Lyon, formerly Miss Bacchus, was at one time a student at Howard University. She was married to Dr. Lyon in 1903.

We learn from the Philadelphia Pilot that its editor, Mr. Samuel Stemons, was assaulted at his place of business a few days ago by some vulgar men, when spoken to by the editor about their language.

Mr. John Lane, who died in this city a few days ago, was a native of Elizabeth City, N. C.

Asbury M. E. S. S., Baltimore, Md., Rev. C. G. Cummings, pastor, celebrated its eighty-second anniversary last Sunday with an excellent programme.

Senator Robert L. Taylor addressed a large gathering last Monday evening at Continental Hall on"Castles in the Air."

Seventy thousand dollars was the price paid for a seat on the New York Stock Exchange this week.

Louis Lundy, who was shot by Representative Heflin, was arraigned before Judge Kimball, of the Police Court, last Monday morning, charged with assaulting an aged colored women. He pleaded not guilty and demanded a jury trial.

The subject of an address delivered by Gen. Andrew S. Burt, U. S. A., retired, in the Walker Memorial Baptist Church last Sunday evening, was "The Negro Soldier."

The permit clerk of the District was this week engaged in distributing and allotting the new tags for motor cycles.

The $900 discovered several weeks ago remaining to the credit of the Police Court Jury fund, is about exhausted, and all prisoners demanding jury trials will have to wait.

It has been announced that the Supreme Court of the United States will adjourn for the term, June 1.

Acording to accounts received from Atlanta, Ga., last Monday, the list of those who perished in the tornado numbered 376.

Many patriotic men and women who are interested in preserving the sacredness of the American flag and preventing its desecration, attended the hearing last Monday morning before a sub committee of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs.

The president and manager of the Monarch Discount Company at Chicago was forced into a vault in his office one day this week by a man, who then stole $1,000 from the cash drawer.

Justice James E. Linturn, of the county court, in Paterson, N. J., in a charge to a new grand jury, called upon its members to indict the editor, publisher, and person responsible for the circulation of the anarchistic paper La Questione Sociale.

For the first time in the history of the city of Cleveland, Ohio, street car service was absolutely free last Tuesday.

The Korean colony of Hawaii at a large gathering denied the statement that Koreans in Hawaii knew of the plotting of the assassination of Stevens.

The Swedish conference held at Boston, Mass., last week discussed plans for establishing a church in this city.

Last Monday the official thermometers of the Weather Bureau in this

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SOME GOOD CURRIES

DISH THAT IS BEGINNING TO BE APPRECIATED.

East Indian Delicacy Has Many Virtues—A Few of the Best and Most Easily Prepared—Boiling the Rice.

Curry was formerly only to be found on the tables of those who had visited India, but its excellence is now so generally acknowledged that it has become a favorite in every household.

When first used curry was prepared from recipes brought from India, but now it is to be had for a small price put up in bottles and sold at all grocery stores. It is thought by many to stimulate a jaded appetite and is especially liked by bilious temperaments.

Rice always accompanies curries. In boiling it every grain must be separated; the pot should therefore be kept on a strong fire so as to keep the water constantly boiling; this motion will prevent the grains from adhering. Do not cover the stewpot; watch closely so as to take it off the fire when done, strain and dry it immediately.

Curried Chicken, East Indian Recipe.—Cut up two chickens as for fricassee; put them into a stew pan with sufficient water to cover them, add a seasoning of salt. Boil until tender; cover closely and skim well. As soon as the chickens are boiled take them off the fire. Fry until brown, put in the chickens and sprinkle over them two or three spoonfuls of curry powder. Cover closely and let the chickens cook until brown. After boiling shake the pan, then put in the liquor in which the fowls were boiled; let all stew until tender. Serve with boiled rice.

Sausartees, Cape of Good Hope.—Take the fillet end of a leg of mutton, cut it into small square pieces, lay them in an earthen pan; season with salt, a tiny piece of garlic (if liked), a spoonful of curry powder. Squeeze a little lemon juice over. Let stand over night. Put fat and lean pieces, when ready to cook, in a skewer, then boil them and serve on rice boiled as for curry.

Oxtail Curry.—Divide an ox tail at the joints, put into a stew pan with three pints of water, a bunch of herbs, a slice of lean ham or bacon. Simmer four hours, after which take out the tail and strain the gravy into a bowl. Cut one onion into small pieces and stir over the fire, with a piece of butter the size of a walnut. Fry until brown, then mix in one tablespoonful of curry powder, one teaspoonful of flour, pepper and salt and a pint of the liquor in which the tail was boiled. Cook for 20 minutes, stirring frequently, then put in the pieces of tail. When hot, squeeze in the juice of half a small lemon. Serve with rice. An apple is frequently added to the above. It should be cut into small pieces and cooked with the butter and onion.

Curry of Lobster.—Pick the meat from a lobster, cut it into pieces, put them into a stewpan with half a blade of mace and half pint of cream. Rub two tablespoonfuls of curry powder and the flour until smooth in a little cream; stir in a piece of butter the size of a walnut; rub all smoothly together. Put this over a slow fire and simmer for an hour. Season with salt and lemon. Serve rice on a separate dish.

Curry of Cold Calf's Head.—Take about two and a half pounds of cold calf's head, cut it into thin slices. Brown a large onion with a piece of butter the size of a walnut, add two scant dessertspoonfuls of curry powder, pour in one pint of broth; thicken with a little flour (about one teaspoonfulful); boil over a clear fire for a half hour, keeping it constantly stirred. Add the juice of half a small lemon; put in the slices of calf's head and when thoroughly heated serve on a hot platter with rice.

Mock Sweetbread.

These are made of lean veal. If the sinews and tendons are removed carefully and the meat finely minced they are excellent. Add half a cupful of veal suet to a pound of the meat and chop all together; soak a baker's roll in milk and beat it light; add the grated rind of a lemon, a dust of grated nutmeg, pepper, salt, two eggs; add the veal shaped into sweetbreads; dip in egg and bread crumbs and fry in boiling fat. Serve rather dry or with a gravy made of the bones of the veal, boiled and highly seasoned.

Left Over Beef.

Take pieces of cold beefsteak, cut in small pieces, place in frying pan until bottom of pan is covered. Dredge with flour, a little salt and pepper, and one onion chopped fine. Then slice cold potatoes and lay in layers on meat; cut up a few tomatoes and place on top of potatoes; season all with salt and pepper. Cover all with water, put cover on and cook 20 minutes. You will have a delicious pan stew.

Raised Doughnuts.

Take one cupful of butter, one cupful of sugar, two beaten eggs and one teaspoonful of cinnamon. Work this mixture into two cupfuls of bread dough, mix and let rise. When light, cut and rinse again. Fry in hot fat.

Of Paper Cambric.

To prevent feathers from working through feather beds or pillows and also to prevent dust from coming through, make an inner case of paper cambric before putting the ticking cover on pillows.

ORNAMENTS FOR MANTEL.

Staffordshire Ware Leads in Popularity Just Now.

Mantel ornaments of Staffordshire ware are being collected by women who like the quaint old-fashioned figures in which this china comes. A single piece does not satisfy the average woman. She wants half a dozen or more, while a lucky winner at "bridge" or one who knows where to pick up odd bits of this ware will rejoice in a small army of animals, fat little boys and ruddy cheeked girls. It is a fad to have at least one mantel in one's country house literally packed with Staffordshire figures. There will be cats of every hue, dogs that are fat and woolly and dogs that are lean and spotted, flower girls, boy peddlers, men, women and horses in this china-ware army, which takes up the whole mantel itself.

Very little of this Staffordshire ware is really old, yet occasionally one does find a genuine antique. It is imported, however, and it is not common enough to be tiresome as yet. The antique shops carry pieces of the new as well as the old, and they are ordering quantities more to meet the demand the new fad has created. For "bridge" parties Staffordshire ware is a great favorite.

FROM FIVE POUNDS OF VEAL.

Three Meals and a Fine Soup May Be Prepared.

Buy a choice five-pound veal roast, cook it as you would a pot roast, boil low, and remove from liquor when tender and brown in the oven. This will make a fine roast for dinner.

For supper use some nice slices of the cold roast.

For dinner the second day add to the liquor left from boiling the roast two cups of the meat cut in small bits, one-third package of spaghetti, one onion cut fine, and quart of tomatoes. Season with salt, pepper, Worcestershire sauce, and tabasco sauce, and thicken with two tablespoonfuls of flour. There should be water added to make two quarts of this mixture.

For the third day the bone of the roast may be boiled for soup stock. Add one-half cup of rice and few stalks of celery after thoroughly crushing and you will have a most delicate soup.

Kentucky Burgoo.

A good fellowship dish served at all barbecues so famous in Kentucky: One young chicken, prepared as for frying, two young squabs, one pound lean beef, same of veal and pork, one pint each of corn, peas, lima beans, string beans, potatoes cut in dice, one quart ripe tomatoes, to which add three tablespoonfuls of sugar to correct acid, four green sweet peppers, one-half pod red pepper corn, one tablespoonful salt, one teaspoonful black pepper. Add all to one gallon water, boil hard one hour, remove bones from squab and chicken, then boil slowly for two hours more, stirring frequently to keep from burning. The burgoo, when ready to serve, should have meat and vegetables thoroughly boiled to bits and smoothly mixed to the consistency of a puree. Serve with hot corn dodgers.

Cabinet Pudding.

Butter a quart mold well with soft butter. Line the bottom with seeded raisins, apricots and citron, cut in fancy shapes. Cover with slices of stale cake, then add another layer of fruit, and so alternate until within two inches of the top. Scald two cupfuls of milk and pour slowly over three well-beaten eggs. Add two tablespoonfuls sugar and a teaspoonful vanilla and pour carefully into the mold. Set in a pan partly filled with cold water and place over the fire until it reaches the boiling point, then cover and set in the oven for an hour. Turn out of the mold and serve with vanilla sauce.

Patty Pancakes for Children.

Beat to a cream a quarter cupful of butter and one cupful sugar. Beat the yolks of two eggs until lemon-colored and thick, and add to the butter. Have ready a cupful and a half of pastry flour, sifted with a teaspoonful and a half of baking powder, and add, little by little, to the batter, alternating with a half cupful milk, also poured in a little at a time. Flavor with a half teaspoonful vanilla, then lastly fold in the whites of two eggs, beaten stiff. Turn into patty tins, well buttered. Tuck in each one a little Christmas china doll or other favor wrapped in paraffin paper, and bake in a moderate oven. Frost when cold.

Lebkuchen.

Bring two pounds of honey or good sirup, one-quarter pound butter, one pound sugar, to the boiling point. Add two teaspoonfuls of baking powder dissolved in water. Allow to cool, add six eggs, one-quarter pound citron, a few ground cloves, some ground cinnamon, one-quarter pound fine cut almonds; at last one pound flour. Work thoroughly, roll out about one-quarter inch thick, put on baking tins and bake slowly, and when warm cut in slices. A frosting can be added if desired.

Marking Linens.

Curling irons are quite an acceptable substitute for a flatiron when marking linens. After marking the articles heat the irons, but not hot enough to scorch, and press each mark between the irons. A number of linens can be marked without reheating the iron very often.

Washing Ties.

When washing four-in-hand ties run a basting thread lengthwise through the middle of it, so that the lining will not wrinkle during washing.

AROUND THE HOUSE

LITTLE THINGS THAT ALL MAKE FOR COMFORT.

Shoestring Bag Will Be Found a Great Convenience—Preparing Fruits and Vegetables for the Table—Regarding Cooks.

The Shoestring Bag.—Rig up a small wooden frame, making it twice the width you intend the bag to be and the length of the shoestrings. Secure with thumb tacks enough shoestrings to cover the frame and weave in and out or over one and under two, or whatever pattern is desired, the rest of the shoestrings. When the weaving process is entirely finished first catch the loose ends with the thread, and then unloose from the frame. Line and bind with silk or satin; make into a small bag with ribbon strings. This is a very handsome bag, the material of which would never be suspected when the bag is once finished. The tin ends of the shoestrings of course should be clipped off after the weaving process is finished.

Preparing Fruits and Vegetables for the Table.—All fruits and green vegetables, also dried or fresh mushrooms and figs, should be carefully inspected and washed before they are served at table or cooked, in order that no insect life may be left hidden in some crack or corner. Spinach especially should be minutely examined and washed again and again in cold running water before it is put into the saucepan. Hidden under the spinach leaves close to the stems are small white worms which usually make their appearance in the spring and fall. They so nearly resemble the leaf itself that they are apt to be overlooked.

Regarding Cooks.—Be sure that your cook and other maids have comfortable beds and well aired, nicely furnished rooms; the cook especially, whose moods are apt to color those of the family, if she be well lodged in attractive quarters after her long day's work is apt to look upon life more cheerfully. The maid's room, in an apartment, is nearly always impossibly small and cramped. If, however, it is a nicely furnished room, with curtains and pictures, to make it homelike, the maid will have some pride in keeping it neat.

Children's Shoe Laces.—To keep the children's shoe laces from untying have the ends of the laces wet before tying the usual knot. They will not come untied during the day.

English Breakfast.

The English have a knack of serving breakfast in a tempting manner. The silver toast rack with delicate slices of hot, crisp toast, the plate of hot muffins, well buttered, are quite a meal in themselves. Steaks and chops are rarely seen on an English breakfast table. Bacon is much used and often a dish of cold meat is seen on the table. The bacon is usually served in a silver breakfast dish which has a receptacle for boiling water underneath, which keeps the meat hot. It is always crisp and beautifully cooked. There is hardly a breakfast without eggs, but these are boiled at the table with one of the many devices for boiling eggs over an alcohol lamp. They are always placed in an individual egg cup, and the top removed with the spoon.

Keeping Filberts Moist.

One ingenious housekeeper whose family is extremely fond of nuts has found a way to prevent that drying out of the kernel which is so disappointing after one has gone to the trouble of cracking a shell.

When she lays in a supply of nuts in the early fall she packs them in salt, and always finds the kernels soft and full, even if the supply of nuts lasts till late spring.

Salad Dressing.

Three eggs, well beaten, one tablespoon salt, two tablespoons sugar, two-thirds teaspoon mustard, one tablespoon cornstarch dissolved in one cup milk. Mix all together, then add one cup vinegar, and butter size of an egg. Cook in a double boiler, stirring frequently, till it thickens. This makes quite a lot, but it can be kept in jars in a cool place several weeks.

Lamb Stew.

Take the neck or breast of lamb, parboil and cut in pieces, then put on in cold water, enough to cover it, adding a large onion cut fine, a large slice of bacon cut fine, black and red pepper and salt. After cooking until all bones can be extracted, add canned tomatoes and corn and half a pound of butter. Before serving add stale bread crumbs. Serve in a tureen.

To Remove a Ring.

Thread a needle with a strong thread; pass carefully under the ring head first, wind the thread tightly around the finger regularly all down to the nail to reduce its size. Then take hold of the short end of the thread and unwind it. The thread pressing against the ring gradually will remove it from finger.

A Hint About Sewing.

If you have a small place to gather on a garment do not put on your gatherer or do it by hand. Place the material under the foot, and, with a long darner, push the material as you sew. This saves time and gathers as well as the attachment.—Harper's Bazar.

Cedar Chest.

In lieu of a cedar chest, pieces of wood soaked in cedar oil and laid in drawers and closets will be almost as satisfactory.

APPLE SLUMP AN OLD RECIPE.

Dish That Figured Often on the Tables of Our Ancestors.

Apple slump is an old-fashioned dish, but none the less acceptable on account of its antiquity. Pare, core and quarter a dozen tart, juicy apples, turn over them a cupful of boiling water and set where they will begin to cook. Five minutes later add to the apples two cups of molasses and cook five or more minutes, while you prepare a very soft biscuit dough, using for a pint of flour a teaspoonful of sugar, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a half tablespoonful of shortening and milk to stir to a dough that is too soft to roll. Put this over the apples, which should be tender, but not broken, cover the kettle closely and cook 25 minutes without lifting the cover. Serve with a hot sauce, made by heating to a cream a half cupful of butter and one cupful of sugar, stirring in just before using a scant cupful of boiling milk or water and seasoning to taste.

BANANA PUDDING WITH SAUCE.

Dessert Delicacy Both Appetizing and Healthful.

Soak one cup stale cake crumbs in two cups hot milk one-half hour, and rub through a sieve; then add one-half cup banana pulp, one-fourth cup sugar, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one tablespoon brandy, one teaspoon vanilla and the yolks of three eggs slightly beaten. Turn into buttered molds, set molds in pan of hot water and bake until firm. Remove from oven, let stand five minutes, turn out and serve with this sauce.

Bring to the boiling point one-half cup each of milk and cream. Pour slowly on to the beaten yolks of two eggs and two tablespoons sugar. Cook over hot water five minutes, add one-half teaspoon vanilla, two tablespoons sherry, and pour over the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs.

China in the Dining Room.

In a tall dining room, if the plate rack is filled with bits of china, make a picturesque effect with fancy shaped jugs or any quaint-shaped pieces of pottery, placed above the doorway and stain the wood to match other woodwork of the room. This relieves the barren aspect of a room which is very high. A low room will appear neatest if these decorations follow certain lines around the wall and are not placed haphazard at any convenient place. It is feared that the dining room will soon have the aspect of the old-fashioned kitchen, where it used to be the pride of most women to have one article of every kind of tinware hung around the wall. If the china is to be hung round the wall, it is going to detract a great deal from the cozy apartment. The plate rack is pretty and the bits of china for the shelves above the door are not amiss, but use some judgment in arranging an artistic effect and not a china-shop display.

Rice Omelet.

One cupful hot cooked rice, three eggs, one tablespoonful cold water, one-fourth level teaspoonful salt, one-eighth level teaspoonful pepper, one level tablespoonful butter.

If left-over rice is to be used, reheat it in a double boiler. Separate the eggs and add the water, salt and pepper to the yolks. Beat until very thick; then add the rice and mix thoroughly. Have the butter melting in the pan. Beat the whites of the eggs stiff and fold them into the mixture. Turn it into the pan and cook slowly for five minutes; then place in a moderate oven and finish cooking. When a knife run through the center comes out clean the omelet is done. Then fold it onto a hot platter, garnish with parsley and serve at once. This will serve five, and is a good luncheon or supper dish.

Soap Eyelets.

When making eyelets, hold the cloth firmly against a bar of white soap when you pierce the hole. In this way there is no danger of making the eyelet larger than you want; the edge of the cloth will be soaped, and a much smoother eyelet results. Furthermore, when the article goes to the laundry the soap helps remove the traces of stamping.

Breakfast Cakes.

Take one cup of butter, one cup of sugar, beat in two eggs, one at a time, then add one-half cup molasses, two teaspoons cinnamon, one teaspoon cloves, one cup strong, cold coffee, one teaspoon soda mixed in one-half of the coffee and added after part of the flour is stirred in, one cup raisins rolled in flour, one cup hickory nuts, flour 3½ cups.

Moth in the Piano.

When tiny pieces of felt are found in various parts of the piano it is evident that the tiny silver moth is at work and will in time do much damage. Camphor gum tied in cheesecloth and suspended inside the piano will drive them out, while placing a half-cup of turpentine inside, leaving for several days, will be certain of driving out the little pests.

Pickled Lambs' Tongues.

Wash well and trim neatly 12 lamb's tongues. Boil in salted water until tender, skin and pack in glass jars while tongues are hot. Put in a very few whole allspice and cloves. Cover with hot white wine vinegar. Seal at once.

Breakfast Popcorn.

Pop several poppers full of corn. Then grind the popped corn through the coffee mill, quite fine; serve with powdered sugar and cream.

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ROCK OYSTER REEF

SUCCULENT BIVALVES FOUND ONLY ON OREGON COAST.

Indians Gather Once a Year for Annual Feast of the Delicacy—Legend of the Discovery of the Food.

Newport, Ore.—Rock oyster digging is having the attention of a large number of Newport (Ore.) citizens, and the native Indian dwellers, and consequently rock oyster soup and rock oyster fritters will take the first place at the table as a delicacy which will ever be in the memory of those fortunate enough to have had their palates tickled with the fat and juicy bivalves that inhabit this particular spot on the coast of Oregon.

The home of the rock oyster is in the soap stone rock, called reefs, being imbedded from four to seven inches with a hole to the surface. As the oyster grows in size the cavity is gradually made larger by the twisting of its shell in a semi-circular shape, the neck extending to the surface of the reef, thus obtaining its necessary nourishment.

The rock oyster reefs are only accessible on the ebb tide for a short interval, otherwise they would soon become extinct. During the winter months the reefs are exposed for about two hours in the 24 for a period of from five to seven days. About the full of the moon the opportunity for digging is best as the remainder of the month the reefs are covered by water.

During the months of July and August the reefs are exposed about six hours in 24. It is during this season of the year the rock oysters are sought to a large extent, selling readily at 25 cents a gallon in the shell to local consumers and 50 cents a gollon in Portland.

The coast Indians never fail to be on hand at this time to have their annual feast of rock oysters, which are, in their estimation, far superior to the turkey cherished so highly by their paleface brethren. During the long summer days the Indian women are to be seen daily trudging to and from the beach with baskets of their own manufacture strapped on their backs filled with the bivalves. They sell a part but never fail to retain the amount necessary for their daily consumption, and later in the season, when the supply becomes less than the demand, it is impossible to buy them at any price, showing the appreciation of the rock oyster as a food delicacy by the Indian.

Digging Rock Oysters on Oregon Coast.

The legend of the discovery of the rock oyster by the tribe of Yaquina Indians located on Yaquina bay, say that a bad Indian was cast out by the tribe. He roamed the hills of the coast range for days in the hopes of securing some large game that he might come back to the tribe and beg forgiveness. Day after day no game could he find, making his way back to the coast, exhausted from hunger, he lay down to sleep where the tide was low. Awaking from the rise of water, he by chance discovered the neck of a rock oyster sticking above the reef, which he used to satisfy his hunger. He returned to his tribe with a few of the bivalves, and obtaining forgiveness, he became a good Indian.

Proves Earth Is Round.

When the earth comes between the sun and the moon it always casts a round shadow. A place chosen for an experiment to prove the roundness of the earth "was near Bedford, England, where there is a straight six-mile stretch of water. At both ends and in the middle of this stretch of water posts were erected, each of the same definite height above the water level. Upon looking with a telescope along the tops of these three posts it was clearly seen that the center one overtopped the others by about six feet, thus marking the curvature of the earth's surface." This experiment has been repeated, and with every latest appliance brought to bear to effect absolute accuracy. The statement as to how a ship at sea shows the tops of her masts first, and then gradually parts below that, but above the water, is a familiar one, and satisfies most minds.

Falling Off in Spruce Gum.

There is a considerable shortage in the spruce gum crop in Maine this year, and first-class gum is now worth $1.75 a pound, laid down in Bangor by the pickers. The retailer gets 15 cents an ounce, and the price is rising. Woodsmen say the decrease in the supply is due to extensive lumbering operations for the pulp mills.

Skillful Needle-Workers.

The women of Russia and the men of Japan are the most expert needle-workers in the world.

ONLY DAUGHTER OF TAFT.

Miss Helen Now a Sophomore in Bryn Mawr College.

Washington.—Miss Helen Taft, only daughter of the secretary of war and Mrs. Taft, now is a sophomore in Bryn Mawr college. Before entering the Philadelphia institution of learning she attended, with Miss Ethel Roosevelt, the school which is connected with the Episcopal cathedral situated way out on the Tenleytown road.

The daughters of the president and secretary have been close friends and playmates since early childhood. Two years ago they were confirmed in the

Miss Helen Taft.

same class at the historic St. John's church on Lafayette square, by the late Bishop Satterlee. Since Miss Taft's departure for Bryn Mawr Miss Ethel has left the cathedral school and is receiving instruction from an English governess.

If William Howard Taft should become president of the United States his daughter would make her bow to society during her father's second year in the White House, for it is the present intention of the young woman to continue her studies at college till her four years are completed, which means that she still has two full years after the present term expires.

White House debutantes are welcomed by Washington society, for many brilliant functions are given often for the younger set. Miss Taft is said by those who know her to be unaffected and as democratic and genial as her father. She has never accompanied her father and mother on their long trips to distant lands, but has spent her time preparing for college, which she entered at an age rather below that of most girls.

It may be that Miss Taft, like the former Miss Root, now Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant III., being studious and domestically inclined, will shun as much as she possibly can the gayer life of the capital city after the novelty of being a White House debutante has worn off. This, of course, in the event of her father's nomination and election next fall.

NEW SENATOR IS APPOINTED.

Florida Governor Names Hall Milton Successor to Bryan.

Tallahassee, Fla.—Gov. Broward has appointed Hall Milton of Marianna to

succeed the late Senator Bryan of Florida in the United States senate.

Mr. Milton is a grandson of former Gov. John Milton of Florida and is 42 years old. He is a successful banker and business man. The appointment is for the unexpired term of the late Senator Mallory, which had been filled by the appointment of Senator Bryan three months ago.

When His Troubles Begin.

8he purser on a transatlantic liner is an exceedingly busy man when his steamer comes abeam of quarantine. His troubles begin some five hours before the steamer arrives off Sandy Hook and continue until every passenger has left the pier. The purser is besieged by passengers who wish to exchange foreign money for American; he has to tell them when the steamer is expected to dock, when to set their watches ahead and reply to hundreds of other trivial questions. The pursers on the French line are nothing if not courteous, but sometimes their patience is sorely tried, and to avoid any apparent discourtesy in the tribulations of arriving at port they prepare a statement for the press containing memoranda of the "notable passengers, special incidents, ships spoken, amount of specie and weather conditions." The statement is manifold and handed to the reporters with a pleasant smile and the news gatherers do the rest.

GREELY IS RETIRED

FAMOUS ARMY OFFICER REACHES AGE LIMIT.

General Noted as Arctic Explorer and Distinguished for Military Feats—Reorganized the Weather Bureau.

Washington.—Maj. Gen. Adolphus W. Greely, the famous Arctic explorer, for news of whose whereabouts the congress of the United States once offered a reward of $25,000, was placed on the retired list of the army the other day for age. Gen. Greely is now in the Orient on leave of absence. His last command was that of the department of Dakota, with headquarters at St. Paul, where he was recently succeeded by Brig. Gen. Winfield S. Edgerly.

Few if any officers of the United States army have enjoyed such a wide measure of fame during recent years as has Gen. Greely. It is now something more than a quarter of a century ago that he attracted world-wide attention by a polar expedition, of which he was the chief. This expedition sailed northward in 1881. It contained 25 members, of whom only seven came back. Two relief expeditions failed to find the Greely party, and when finally rescued by the third expedition, sent under command of Capt. Winfield S. Schley, the survivors of the party were nearly crazed with hunger. At the time he made this expedition to the polar seas, Gen. Greely was a lieutenant in the Fifth cavalry. The expedition reached a point farther north than any previous record.

Gen. Greely had the distinction of being the first man who entered the

civil war as a private soldier to be promoted to the rank of brigadier general. He was born in Newburyport, Mass., March 27, 1844, and received a common school education. In 1861, when but a few months over 17 years of age, he enlisted as a private and became a member of the Byfield Rifles. Greely continued with his command until March, 1863. When a call was made for non-commissioned officers to officer the colored troops then being organized, Sergt. Greely was one of the number to respond and was commissioned as first lieutenant in the Eighty-first United States colored infantry. He served with this command until the fall of 1866, rising to the grade of major.

He entered the regular army as a second lieutenant in March, 1867, and was promoted to first lieutenant in 1873. Between 1876 and 1879 young Greely proved himself to be one of the most untiring workers in the army. During that period he constructed 2,000 miles of military telegraph in Texas, Montana and Dakota. This unprecedented feat made him a marked man in American military circles. Then came the expedition to the far north. In 1881, in pursuance of the recommendation of the Hamburg international geographical congress, he was given command of the United States expedition to establish one of a chain of 13 circumpolar stations. The trying experiences of Greely and his little band are well known to all readers of history.

During and after the Spanish war Gen. Greely had a further opportunity to show his great ability as a builder of telegraph lines. Under his immediate direction there were built and operated 1,000 miles in Porto Rico, 3,800 miles in Cuba, 250 miles in China during the Boxer outbreak and 10,500 miles of lines and cables in the Philippines. He afterwards installed a system of 3,900 miles of telegraph lines in Alaska, one of these lines being the first wireless system to be put to commercial use.

One of Gen. Greely's most brilliant achievements was the reorganization on its present efficient basis of the national weather bureau. Previous to his incumbency the service was of a most crude and untrustworthy character. He began at once to gather meteorological data from every reliable source, and in the course of time he was able to arrive at something definite. He established a complete system of weather stations in various parts of the country and lifted the service from the plane of ridicule to that of respectability.

Her Market Order.

Little Mrs. Hunter had heard so many jokes about the brides who couldn't market successfully that she made up her mind that the first request she made of the market man would show her to be a sophisticated housewife. "Send me, please," she said, "two French chops and 100 green peas."—Judge.

TO GIVE MAN MORE DAYLIGHT.

Englishman's Scheme to Set Clocks Ahead During Summer Months.

London.—The accompanying diagram explains the bill now on second reading in the British house of commons which is intended to induce the general community to make more use of daylight during the summer months by beginning and finishing the working day earlier.

In the diagram the months of the year are shown by horizontal lines, and the hours of the day by vertical lines. The white portion indicates

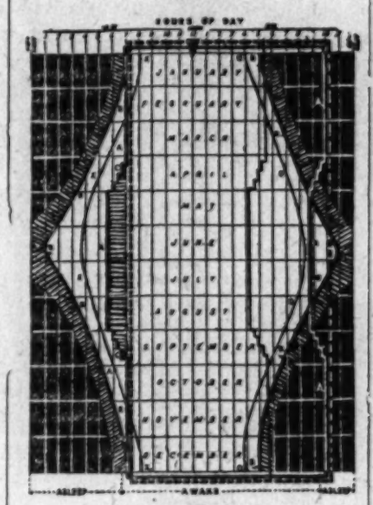

Diagram Illustrating Scheme of Englishman.

the daylight of one year, or that portion of time when artificial light is not required in the latitude of London. The left hand shaded portion represents the first half of morning twilight, and the right hand portion represents the second half of the evening twilight, or that portion of the twilight when artificial light is required indoors. The curves B B B may, therefore, be considered as inclosing the daylight of the year, the remaining portion indicating the night. The curved line marked X X X indicates the curve of sunrise, and that marked O O O the curve of sunset.

The broad broken lines include that part of day when the average man is awake; outside these lines is the portion of time in which he sleeps. The broad line marked A A A shows the same period corrected to suit the new proposal. It indicates how man would benefit by the system of altering the clocks at stated intervals—namely: Setting the clock ahead 20 minutes on each Sunday morning at two o'clock during the month of April, and vice versa during the month of September. The steps marked C C indicate the hour and month when the clock would be altered—that is, in four steps of 20 minutes each in the spring, and back again in four steps in the autumn.

The lined patch shows clearly the gain during the summer months. The line to the right shows the average hour for leaving work and the extra daylight available for recreation.

WATSON IS PUT UP AGAIN.

Georgian Nominated for President by Populist Party.

St. Louis.—Thomas E. Watson of Georgia was nominated for president

Thomas E. Watson.

of the United States and Samuel Williams of Indiana for vice-president by the People's party convention, after two stormy sessions.

Watson was the Populist candidate for the same office four years ago and candidate for vice-president in 1896, when the Populists supported Bryan for president. He was a Democrat early in his political career, but in 1891 was elected to congress as a Populist and served one term. Mr. Watson is a lawyer, a native and resident of Georgia, and 51 years old. He has written several historical works that have been highly praised, and is considered a man of brilliant powers.

In the Cause of Learning.

"So Crimson Gulch keeps a poker game running night and day now!" said the tourist.

"Yep," answered Bronco Bob. "We hate to do it, but moral obligations must be met. A feller out east gave us a library on condition that we raise a share of the expense, and we dasn't let the kitty rest a minute."

The Wrong Word.

He (during quarrel)—You deceived me before our marriage.

She—It's false.

He—I asked you to say the word that would make me the happiest man on earth and you said "Yes."—Boston Transcript.

SQUANDERSFORTUNE

LORD ARMSTRONG PREY OF ENGLAND'S MONEY "SHARKS."

Misdirected Business Energy Proves Disastrous to the Extent of $6,000,000—Inherited Famous Elswick Gun Works.

London.—Lord Armstrong, head of the greatest private arsenal and engineering works in Great Britain, has demonstrated conclusively that misdirected business energy may be as disastrous to the heir of a great fortune as the extravagances more commonly imputed to the younger members of the aristocracy. Eight years ago Lord Armstrong, equipped with a technical rather than a business education, inherited through a granduncle who had been raised to the peerage $6,000,000, a controlling interest in the famous Elswick Gun works, two country estates—among the most spacious in England—and a magnificent town house in London. His vast fortune has now been dissipated, and last week he entered into a deed of arrangement for the liquidation of $2,500,000 debts in long-term installments.

It was all due to a lack of familiarity with modern business methods. He had one of the most stable and well-intrenched manufacturing businesses in England behind him and the prestige of a family name which has been associated with solid, conservative business methods. He was told he was failing to keep abreast of the modern industrial expansion, and he admitted among his counselors men who were more familiar with stock

jobbing methods than they were with the manufacture of munitions of war.

Then he resorted to money lenders in league with the other interests, and to these "sharks" he found himself obliged to pay 60 per cent. interest. It was due to this that he put aside his pride and made a public agreement providing for long-time payments of the gross amount of his debts.

Lord Armstrong, by birth and christening W. H. A. F. Watson, was born in 1863, the son of John William Watson of Adderstone hall, and the grandnephew of the late Baron Armstrong of Cragside, through whom he inherited his fortune. He was educated at Eton and Trinity college, Cambridge, later pursuing studies of a mechanical and engineering character.

The great engineering establishment of Elswick is one of the most celebrated in the world. From a nucleus of 5½ acres the plant has grown to 230 acres, and when fully employed has 28,000 workers. The weekly pay roll involves the distribution of about $200,000.

In its shops were turned out some of the most formidable of the modern machine guns, the deadly precision of which the Japanese demonstrated in the late war with Russia. While the Armstrong works are chiefly noted for their high power guns they also embrace a shipbuilding department whence the Abdul Hamid, a 4,000-ton cruiser, was recently launched for the Turkish navy.

The founder of the house of Armstrong was William G. Armstrong, who constructed a small shop to the west of Newcastle for the manufacture of the various hydraulic machines which he, while still a solicitor, had begun to invent. This was about 60 years ago. Gunmaking was begun at Elswick in 1855, and it was largely the application of hydraulic mechanism, of which the late Lord Armstrong had been a close student, that made the working of the high-power artillery possible.

Five years later captain, now Sir Henry Noble joined the staff and as managing director he did much toward the development of modern ordnance. Some of the largest guns used by the Japanese during the late war fired a projectile weighing 850 pounds with a velocity of 2,580 feet per second. The energy of these huge shots is nearly 40,000 foot-tons, measured at the muzzle, and they are effective at eight and ten miles' range. The evolution of hydraulic machinery, largely brought about at the Elswick works, makes it possible to handle these ponderous engines with great rapidity.

The present Lord Armstrong's most famous country place, Bamburgh castle, once the home of the kings of Northumbria, is a historic place. It has been carefully restored and is now a comfortable house. Lord Armstrong and his wife are both devoted to out-of-door sports and are keen motorists and fond of golf, shooting and fishing.

DIAMOND JUBILEE FOR PARISH.

First Permanent Church in Chicago 75 Years Old This Year.

Chicago.—Founding of the first permanent Roman Catholic parish in Chicago 75 years ago will be celebrated by Roman Catholics in June with a diamond jubilee demonstration in which both laymen and clergy will take part.

Although Jesuit fathers conducted missions in Chicago long before that time the first permanent church was founded in May, 1833, by Rev. John M. I. St. Cyr, who came here from St. Louis. He established St. Mary's

First Roman Catholic Church Built in Chicago.

church, the first site of which was at Lake and State streets. The church is now at Wabash avenue and Eldredge place.

At the time of the building of St. Mary's there were only 36 Catholic families in Chicago, representing 122 persons. To-day the Catholic population of the city is approximately 750,000. The number of priests is 600 and the number of edifices consecrated to divine worship is 175.

For years this church remained in charge of secular priests. When Archbishop Quigley assumed charge of the Chicago archdiocese the Paulist Fathers were placed in control.

According to the plans outlined by Rev. P. J. O'Callaghan, pastor of the church and local head of the Paulist Fathers, the celebration of the diamond jubilee will include a gathering at the Auditorium and special services in the church.

A special committee on arrangements has been named consisting of prominent laymen.

Benediction of Pope Pius X. is expected for the jubilee celebrants.

LAETARE MEDAL IS AWARDED.

Dr. J. C. Monaghan Recipient of Notre Dame University Honor.

Notre Dame, Ind.—The Laetare medal has been voted to Dr. James Charles Monaghan by the faculty of Notre Dame university. The medal has been conferred annually by the university since 1883 as a mark of esteem and appreciation of some noteworthy work performed in behalf of morality, education and citizenship.

Dr. Monaghan was United States consul at Mannheim and Chemnitz,

Germany, during the years 1885 to 1897. He was a delegate to the World's Commercial congress in 1899. In 1903 he assumed the editorship of the bureau of foreign commerce in the department of commerce and labor. Dr. Monaghan is prominently known as an educator, having been a very active member of the faculties of the University of Wisconsin and the University of Notre Dame. In the latter institution he was dean of the history and economics course in 1907. He is a graduate of Brown university, and also studied in Heidelberg.

A reunion of all the Laetare medalists is being planned for May 17 at Notre Dame. It is likely that the 1908 honor will be bestowed upon Dr. Monaghan at that time. Among those who previously have received the medal are Attorney General Bonaparte, William Bourke Cochran and Eliza Allen Starr.

The White Evening Waistcoat.

Anything that breaks through the gloomy, funereal, waitereal aspect of male evening dress is to be commended. But practically, as a general rule, the white evening waistcoat cannot be effectively worn much after the age of 21.

Black, it is well known, diminishes the proportions, but white undoubtedly increases them. I see men whom I have hitherto considered to be slim appear in white evening waistcoats and look absolutely corpulent.—London Graphic.

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BISHOP DERRICK.

That good and able Bishop of the A. M. E. Church, Bishop Derrick, seems to have become inoculated with the Taft virus, and become possessed of a desire to mount the victorious band wagon. The Bishop called at the White House last Thursday, and on leaving gave vent to his feelings in the following statement, which was widely published in the daily press:

"I wanted the President to know that some of us are sane enough to stand by him to the last ditch. Nothing can be done by him or any other Republican to obliterate the debt we owe the party of freedom and liberation. No matter who is nominated at Chicago, whether President Roosevelt, Secretary Taft or Mr. Foraker, he will have the undivided support of the Negroes of the country."

This statement is directly at variance with the interview the Bishop submitted to during the meeting of the Bishops here some few weeks ago. However, that is not the point that we wish to impress. The point is this: Bishop Derrick sees that Taft is to be the nominee, and Bishop Derrick, being a Republican, and believing that the best interests of the race will be subserved by standing by the party, no matter which one of the contestants is named, has boldly so declared.

The statement does the Bishop credit, and The Bee honors him for it.

There is absolutely no need of men of our race fighting because they disagree. There never will come a time when we shall all be of one opinion. That would be the millenium. Let us fraternize with cordiality and brotherly feeling, even if we do disagree on who is the best man for president.

There are many colored Americans who, professing undying fealty to Senator Foraker, are actually asking for and receiving money to propagate his cause. The Bee stood for him and never asked a penny, and not a penny was given directly or indirectly. How many of that crowd who called and attended the Philadelphia meeting can say as much? Some day The Bee may be constrained to print the names of the Negroes who asked and accepted cash to continue their work for Senator Foraker, and at the same time the amounts they received. And when we do we will fear no libel suits. Neither will we fear successful contradiction. This announcement may cause a slight tremor to some of the livers on misery.

The Bee has never receded an inch from its stand forSenator Foraker. All indications point to the nomination of Mr. Taft on the first ballot, and The Bee has simply announced what everybody else is announcing, and what everybody else knows. That's conducting a newspaper for the people.

HASN'T HEARD THE NEWS.

La Follette has shut Taft out of Wisconsin. Uncle Joe has absorbed Illinois. Fairbanks has captured Indiana, Knox has Pennsylvania in his vest pocket. Hughes holds the boards in New York and Jersey. New England following the lead of Senator Murray Crane. The South is bu'sted. The Taft shouters are hoarse. The balance of the country will be heard from. —Dallas (Texas) Express.

Let's see how for wrong the Express is. Taft split Wisconsin, La Follette's own State. Taft split Illinois, Cannon's own State. Taft is second choice of both Indiana and Pennsylvania, Fairbanks and Knox's States. Taft has split New York, Hughes' own State. New England, instead of following the lead of Senator Crane, has elected Taft delegates. The South is busted, yes, but not for the "allies." Taft busted it for Taft. The Taft shouters are hoarse? Yes; because they have jubilated so very much over a victory clearly won. The balance of the country is being heard from every day, and the "balance of the country" is sending Taft delegates every day. That's how it is being heard from.

The Express should move up a little closer to the center of civilization, where it can get the latest news. We never advocated Taft, but we are forced to acknowledge him now, for the reason that The Bee is a Republican newspaper, and Taft is the assured Republican nominee.

The colored American cannot afford to vote the Democratic ticket, and neither can he support the Democratic party led by William Jennings Bryan.

The Daily Oregon Journal complains that it cannot see why the colored Americans have not been recognized more by the Republican party. Will the Journal state why the Democratic party has not recognized the colored Americans more, and why does Mr. Bryan continue to make jackass blunders. His recent declaration is that he favored Negro disfranchisement.

Mr. Taft nor any other Republican presidential candidate has never declared in favor of these hellish Democratic laws.

The colored voter cannot afford to leave the Republican party.

NO BRYAN.

Defense of Disfranchisement Measures of the South.

From a Speech by Mr. Bryan in New York.

Under the laws disfranchising the Negro by demanding educational requirements in the South, the Negro has an opportunity to get within the law by coming within the qualification. But I want to say to the Republicans in the North that under the laws which they have fastened upon the Filipinos, not one of them can vote nuder any qualification. The Negro in the South has the protection of living under the laws made for the black man and the white man alike, but the Filipinos are kept under laws made for them and not for us.

The white man in the South has disfranchised the Negro in self-protection; and there is not a Republican in the North who would not have done the same thing under the same circumstances. Those Republicans in the North who dispute this or say that they are different from theSouth either are not frank with themselves or are assuming what is not true. The white men in the South will not allow a few men to use the solid black vote to further their own financial and political interests. And that is what was being done.

I want to say right now that the white men in the South are giving the Negroes better laws than the Negroes would give to the white man if they were making the laws. Why, right in Washington they disfranchised every Negro, even if they had to disfranchise some white men to do it. The white men of the South are determined that the Negro will and shall be disfranchised everywhere it is necessary to prevent the recurrence of the horrors of carpet-bag rule.

Colored Americans who are so anxious to support Mr. Bryan in the event of Mr. Taft's nomination ought to be convinced now that he does not care a cent for them. If these men will take the pains to read an excerpt from Mr. Bryan's New York speech, namely, Bishop Alexander Walters, Rev. S. L. Corrothers and others, they will learn some sense.

Mr. Bryan favors the disfranchisement of colored Americans. This is one of Mr. Bryan's blunders. He could not hold back the feeling of revenge against the colored Americans. Bryan has declared against colored Americans. He believes in the disfranchisement of the race. The colored voter cannot go to the Democratic party, no matter what happens. No Republican favors the disfranchisement of colored Americans, no matter if he is the devil. He may be mean otherwise; he may do things that would tend to degrade the race, but no Republican has been mean enough to vote away the rights of colored Americans. The rank and file of the Democratic party will show the colored man no quarter.

The colored voter must support the nominee of the Republican party.

JIM CROW AMUSEMENTS.

On the front page of The Bee will be seen the true conditions of the "Jim Crow" five-cent amusement theatres in this city. There is not an amusement house of this character in the city that does not object to the colored American entering. The larger theatres in the city also discriminate against colored Americans. They are not permitted to occupy seats in the balcony.

If colored citizens insist on patronizing these theatres they are told that they must go in the pit. Just why colored citizens will continue to go to these theatres The Bee is unable to explain.

The declaration of Rev. S. L. Corrothers that he will support Bryan in preference to Secretary Taft will not help him in his fight for the Zion bishopric next month at Philadelphia.

In the sudden retirement of the Burt-Patterson ticket the people of the District were again treated to a demonstration of the fact that the expected sometimes happens. Who is surprised?

William T. Ferguson, of the Postoffice Department, an anti-Administration worker, prominently identified with the Philadelphia pow-wow, has been promoted to a $1,000 clerkship — the second prothere are those who claim that the Administration is using the Federal patronage to "play up" its favorites at the expense of the opposition.

The Mobile Weekly Press very appropriately suggests that Walter S. Thomas needs praying for. Thomas is the misguided sinner who asserts that ninety-five percent of the Negroes will vote for the Democratic candidate if Taft is nominated at Chicago.

The sane attitude of The Bee on the presidential situation has attracted the attention of the thinking Negroes of the nation, and our position is endorsed in every quarter where reason, rather than passion, is enthroned.

The Kentucky Standard, in its throwing out an ill-tempered hint that Dr. Booker T. Washington is slow to give to worthy race enterprises, evidently overlooks the generous donation of the entire receipts of one of his lectures to the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, amounting to over eight hundred dollars in cold cash. Through his unsolicited kindness on the occasion of his last appearance here, the church netted in the neighborhood of three hundred dollars. Miss Young will find that her excellent paper will add to its prestige by pursuing a course more in accord with fair play. The talented young lady seems to have a desire to "nag" at the "Wizard" for some unexplained reason.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE-.. .. MAN BIEBER.

Mr. Sidney Bieber having been vindicated by the House Committee on Investigation, will be further vindicated when his name is presented to the National Republican Convention as the next National Committeeman for the District of Columbia. He has won in politics and succeeded in defeating those who endeavored to prove traitors to him at the last moment.

The Bee was the first to present Mr. Bieber's name to the Republican voters of this city, and the last to receive any consideration. The Bee is always loyal to its friends and true to the cause it advocates. The attack made upon him by the Senator from Montana and the alleged charges he made against him were uncalled for and unjjust.That the House Investigating Committee vindicated him, the distinguished Senator should be fair enough to rise in the Senate and apologize.

The election is over, and he has again been vindicated; hence let all Republicans come together and build up a strong Republican party in the District of Columbia.

PARAGRAPHIC NEWS.

(Continued from page 1.)

city registered eighty-five degrees in the shade.

Last Thursday week the Duke de Chaulnes died suddenly from heart failure in his bedroom in the Hotel Langham, Paris. The widow of the dead duke is a daughter of Theodore P. Shonts, of New York.

Prof. John Morrow, superintendent of the Alleghany schools, said last Saturday to the young women teachers who assembled for the monthly institute: "If ladies will kindly remove their abominable hats so they can sit closely together in front of the auditorium, we will proceed with the institute."

Chief Belt, in his recent report on the inspections of the public schools recommends that the old High Street School, in Georgetown, and the Miner School, Seventeenth and Church streets, be discontinued at once for school purposes.

Rev. William G. Eggleston, the oldest member of the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, died last Saturday night at his home at Middleton, Va., at the age of ninety-four years. Before the Methodist Episcopal Conference was divided he was a prominent figure.

DON'T WORRY.

From Indianapolis Freeman.

The country refuses to be set aquiver over the report that that eminent Zion theologian, the Rev. Sylvester L.Corrothers,swears by all the gods that he intends to support Bryan for president, if the Chicago Convention declines to do his bidding. It is a matter of some speculation whether Bryan wants Mr. Corrothers' support. The refusal of Bryan to admit colored people to his religious lecture at Charleston, W. Va., is still fresh in our memory.

BEEN DOCTORED?

From Waycross News.

The Washington (D.C.) Bee has evidently been "doctored" with Taft dope. It has been loud in its professions of loyalty and admiration for Senator Foraker, but weakens and apologetically surrenders before the real battle. There are a lot of Negro papers and leaders who seemingly do a lot of clamoring just to attract attention to themselves. Every sincere friend and loyal Negro voter will stand byt his great friend of the race until the decisive vote is cast at the National Convention.

From the Cumberland Alleganian.

The Republican party must either repudiate or endorse the city administration of the past four years. The Democratic minority of the Council has had no influence in shaping its policies, and that party is in no respect responsible for existing conditions. The Democracy of Cumberland stands pledged to sweeping reforms, and it is fully determined to place men in nomination whose names are a guarantee that every promise will be carried out to the letter.

WHERE THE FREEMAN STANDS.

From Indianapolis Freeman.

The Freeman is recognized as a national organ of the race and for the race, and as such its views and opinions, as editorially expressed, are not controlled nor prompted by local or State conditions. The Freeman can always be depended upon to give expression to such views as it believes to be for the best interest of the race, without regard to city, or county, or State boundaries. In discussing the progress and the news relating to the Republican presidential contest The Freeman will give the news, unmindful of its advantageous or disadvantageous effect on any of the aspirants for that honor. We yield to no one in our admiration for our fellow-townsman and State leader, the Hon. Charles W. Fairbanks, but we do not feel called upon to color our news in his interest, and neither do we feel called upon to color our news so as to appear against any of the other candidates. This because The Freeman is a national Negro newspaper.

Up to this time three-fourths of the delegates selected to the Republican Convention are instructed for Secretary Taft. This is acknowledged by each and every one of his opponents. This is not political "dope," but fact. The consensus of opinion, as expressed by partisan and independent newspapers and by members of Congress and public men, as well as by private citizens, is that it appears at this time that the big Secretary of War will be nominated. The Freeman violates no sense of feeling to Mr. Fairbanks to print such news. We would be false to him and to the race if we denied the news. The Freeman stands, as it always has stood, for the Republican nominee, whoever he may be, and we will just as cordially support Secretary Taft, if nominated, as we would Vice President Fairbanks, and just because we recognize both as loyal Republicans and men in whose hands the interests of our race will be safe. Up to this writing the Taft people are claiming his nomination with confidence. And the results of the various conventions held to nominate delegates up to this date substantiate their claim. The Freeman will print the news, all the news, and nothing but the news.And The Freeman will express its deliberately formed opinion fearlessly. "Nuf sed."

"JIM CROW" THEATRES.

A representative of The Bee called at 307 Ninth street northwest and at 1020 Seventh street northwest, and asked for the manager, Mr. A. C. Myers. The Bee found him to be an affable and polite gentleman. When asked concerning the discrimination alleged to exist in his theaters, he explained that he has never objected at any time to respectable colored Americans being admitted to his theaters, but he does object to all disreputable persons, be they white or colored.

When he first opened he allowed colored citizens seats to any part of his house; latterly several colored persons would be allowed admission and they would become disorderly; many came in under the influence of liquor, which caused him to drow the line and admit such respectable colored citizens whom he knew or presented such an appearance that would admit them.

There are several colored Americans who visit the Ninth street theatre regularly and sit in any part of the house, but he will not admit anyone that acts disorderly or who may be under the influence of intoxicants.

He also informed The Bee that his theater at 1020 Seventh street,known as Happyland, opened especially for all classes, irrespective of color, and especially for colored Americans;but it is more patronized by white people.

The Bee also ascertained that all other theaters in the city, especially those on the Avenue, will not admit any colored person. Colored citizens are told, the moment they present themselves at the box office and ask for a ticket, "colored people are not admitted.".

The Bee corrects the statement it heretofore made against Mr. Meyers' theater, and assures the colored citizens that he has no prejudice against them. The cartoon on the first page applies to all five-cent theaters except 1020 Seventh street northwest and 307 Ninth street northwest and all other big theaters in the city where colored citizens are "Jim Crowed." Mr. Sidney Bieber corrected all irregularities when his attention was called to this discrimination.

THE COLORED VOTERS.

From the Oregon Journal.

It may be a good thing not only for themselves, but for the country, for the colored voters to break away from party for once. Their numerous votes have always been counted on as a sure asset, in the Northern States, for the Republican party. They were expected to vote solidly for the whole Republican ticket, and with few exceptions have done so. That the Republican party took credit for freeing them forty-five years ago was considered a sufficient reason; after election the colored brother, except in rare instances, was no longer recognized, although in some States and on some occasions the colored men have undoubtedly held the balance of power, as they may hold it in several States next November.

And we see no good reason why the Negro race should not have been more recognized, and better rewarded, especially in States where they may sometimes turn the scale. Many of them are intelligent, industrious, worthy citizens, entirely competent and trustworthy to fill certain offices. They have not had their fair share of the spoils. They may remember all this next fall. It would be well for the colored people hereafter to divide their vote, and be more independent.

THE "GUMPTION" CLASS AT HAMPTON INSTITUTE.

A special course is provided at the Hampton Institute for those senior and graduate girls who are making special preparation to teach in the rural schools. This course consists of a limited amount of practice and instruction in a number of the needs common to every home, a knowledge of which is in constant demand and should therefore form a part of the training of a country teacher, inasmuch as she is often the only one who can give the required help. The teacher should not only know what these needs are, but should be able to show selected pupils how to supply them and thereby increase her power and usefulness in the home and the community.

The subjects taken up are chair-caneing and repairing, corn-shuck mat making, shoe and harness mending tinware, painting, cutting and fixing window glass, simple repairs to doors, locks, woodwork, and furniture ,and making and fixing a shelf. All of these are demanded everywhere.

The following may not be so generally needed (although valuable in a smaller degree): varnishing and renovating furniture, removing old varnish and paint, the care of painted work and floors; in short, anything of a like nature which may be needed in a rural home.

To solder a hole in a tin vessel is generally exceeding simple and gives it a new lease of life. A patch or sole on a shoe may enable a child to attend school who otherwise could not.A repaired window may add very much to the comfort of the home,and all at little expense in either material or equipment.—Southern Workman.

"PHIL" WATERS IN THE SPOT LIGHT.

Genial "Phil" Waters, of Charleston, W. Va., the recognized leader of the younger Republicans of that State, an orator of power and financier of national repute, is being pushed by his friends of both parties for the office of State Librarian, made vacant by the untimely death of Mrs. S. W. Starks. Mr. Waters is now an assistant in the office of the clerk of the Court of Appeals for the State of WestVirginia,and has held responsible positions in the Senate and the House of Delegates, having been chief clerk of the Finance Committee of both houses, and was corporation clerk under Secretary of State (now Governor) Dawson. If Mr. Waters who is well known in Washington will stand for the place it will please his friends to see him "win out."

WAR.

For many years I have prayed daily that there be no more war, no more barbarous slaughtering of our fellow beings; prayed that all the peoples on earth and the islands of the sea have one God, one Mind, love God supremely, and love their neighbor as themselves.

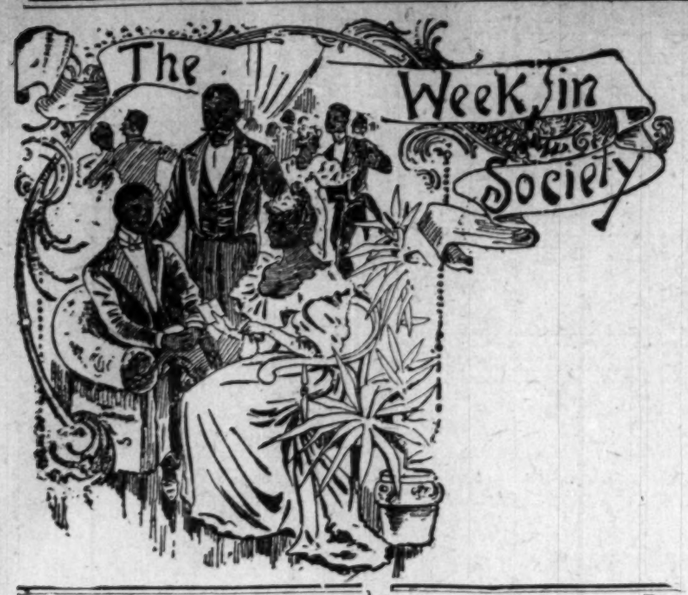
National disagreements can be,and should be, arbitrated wisely, fairly and fully settled.

It is unquestionable, however, that at this hour the armament of navies is necessary, for the purpose of preventing war and preserving peace among nations.—Mary Baker G. Eddy, in the Christian Science Sentinel.

PROFESSOR LAYTON.

Don't fail to purchase your ticket for the Layton testimonial. It is a deserving compliment to a deserving man. May 11 is the date.

Mrs. Cox, wife of Ill. Henry Cox, has returned home from a business trip of over four weeks.



Mrs. John H. Dale, of Jersey City, N. J., formerly Mrs. Bessie E. Pollard, of Capitol Hill, returned home a few days ago accompanied by her son, William A. Pollard, who has been a student at Manassas Industrial Institute School, Virginia.

Rev. A. M. Green, presiding elder of the North East, New Orleans, Dist., La., spent the Easter holidays in the city, the guest of Mrs. T. H. Dale.

Miss Hallie Brown, of 2011 Eleventh street northwest, is spending the Easter holidays in one of the suburbs of Baltimore.

Miss Dena Harvey, of Eleventh street, was awarded a $100 certificate by the F. G. Smith Piano Company, she being one of the successful competitors in their recent counting contest.

Graud Master Houston leaves today for a circut of the South, delivering addresses to the Grand United order of Odd Fellows in Charleston, S. C., Savannah, Ga., Jacksonville, Fla., Vicksburg, Miss. and Memphis, Tenn. An elaborate program for the entertainment of the Grand Master has been arranged at each place. His son, Charles will accompany him on this tour.

Miss D. Butler, of Baltimore, spent several days in Washington last week.

Miss Carrie Lee spent several days in Philadelphia last week.

Miss Lilian E. Williams, of Richmond, Va., spent Easter in the District.

Mr. S. Mason, who was in Washington recently, has returned to the Monumental City.

Among the visitors to AtlanticCity recently were the following Washingtonians: Drs. F. J. Shadd, West, George H. Cabinass and wife.

Mrs. Maria Williams, of Richmond, was here last week.

Mrs. John Parks entertained a number of friends at her home in Ridge street last week, in honor of Mesdames E. Monszer and George E. Moseley, of Richmond, Va.

Rev. Lewis D. Sheafe was in Hampton last week.

Miss Laura A. Reed, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of friends here some days.

Miss Jessie Fauset, of the M-St. High School, who spent the Easter holidays at her home in Pennsylvania, returned to Washington in time for school opening last Monday.

Miss Serena Johnson was in Baltimore last week.

Miss Nannie Harris has returned to the city.

Miss M. Henderson, of Richmond, spent Easter here as the guest of relatives and friends.

Miss Henrietta Young, who is visiting in Colorado, is the guest of Mrs. Walter Cooper, of Denver.

Naomi Household of Ruth, No. 1038 was, on the 18th ultimo, incorporated under the laws of the District of Columbia. The incorporators are Robert H. Mahorney, Ophelia Rouser, Marietta F. Price, Catherine Smith, and James T. Coles,who were represented by Lawyer P. W. Frisby.

Miss Julia Collier returned to this city Sunday, after having spent several pleasant days in the Monumental City.

Miss Lucy McQuim will return very soon to New York, where she expects to make her future home.

Rev. W. H. Scott, of Boston, who has been visiting this city is now in Baltimore.

Mrs. M. A. Maxfield and daughter, Miss Gonevia, spent Sunday in Baltimore.

A large and appreciative audience listened to a timely sermon preached by Rev. W. H. Brooks, of the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, last Sunday morning.

Mrs. Bessie T. Spencer is spending a week each with her sisters-in-law, Mrs. Bessie H. Darrell, at Wilmington, Del., and Miss Lida F. Spencer, at West Chester, Pa.

Mrs. Laura Truth, of St. George, Bermuda, W. I., has returned to the city again, to remain.

Rev. E. D. Williston is at home again, after a pleasant visit to his mother at Fayetteville, N. C. She had been in poor health, but was greatly improved by the coming of her son and the cheering influence of his sunny smile.

Mr. S. W. Rutherford and Miss Henrietta M. Dobbs, of the National Benefit Association, visited Newark, N. J., last week in the interest of the organization.

Mrs. Samuel C. Hudnell (neeMiss Norma Ridley), now of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her mother at 1344 U street northwest.

Mrs. Mary E. Washington,of New Albany, Ind., who is expected to succeed Mrs. K. P. Hood as president of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the A. M. E. Zion Church, will pass through the city Tuesday, en route to the General Conference at Philadelphia. She will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thompson, of 1348 Wallach Place northwest.

Mr. Clarence Cameron White appeared in a grand recital at Denver, Colo., last Friday evening. He is scheduled for Chicago Monday night next. His final appearance here before going to Europe will be at Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, in conjunction with Mrs. Portia Washington Pittman, pianiste.

Word has been received by relatives in this city announcing the dangerous illness of Bishop H. M. Turner at his home in Atlanta.

Mr. Arthur E. Lankford is still confined to his home by a severe illness, but early improvement is expected by his physician, Dr. E. D. Williston.

Mrs. Mary Washington, who resides in Proctor, Vermont, has been in the city for several weeks, and alternated between her own home and that of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Maxfield, 1229 First street northwest,and left the city for her home Monday evening. Mrs. Washington has enjoyed herself among friends since her stay in the city, and was tendered several social functions while here, especially by Mr. and Mrs. Maxfield, at whose residence she will make her permanent home when she returns to the city again.

Mrs. Washington is one of the most genial and entertaining personages that one would desire to meet. She is the very image of Mrs. Laura Contee, of this city. Many of her friends accompanied her to the depot.

NEWS OF FREDERICK, MD.

Prof. George T. Day has moved to Washington, which will possibly leave an opening in the principalship of one of our Frederick schools.

Dr. W. G. Boume has among his patients many white citizens of considerable means.

Rev. Harris, the recently appointed pastor of Quin A. M. E. Church, has made a fine impression on the citizens of Frederick, regardless of denomination.

The Asbury M. E. Quarterly Conference held April 24 increased the salary of the presiding elder, Rev. Dr. Naylor.

Lincoln H. and Clarence P. Norwood, students of Howard University, spent the Easter holidays in visiting their uncle, Rev. S. H. Norwood, pastor of Asbury M. E.Church.

The Union Hospital is preparing for an opening. The ladies are formulating plans for securing an Old Folks' Home.

LAYTON'S TESTIMONIAL.

Artists who will assist in the testimonial to Prof. J. T. Layton, Monday, May 11, at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, M street between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets northwest, at eight o'clock, are: Miss Marie C. James, Miss Gertrude Lampton; Mr. Felix F. Weir, violinist; the Mount Zion M. E. Church choir, Mr. J. T. Beason, director; the Lincoln Memorial Church choir, Miss Mary L. Europe directress; the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church choir, Dr. J. T. Walker director; Prof. J. T. Layton, director; the United States Marine Band, Lieutenant Santelman leader, and others. Miss Mary L. Europe and Prof. William Braxton, accompanists.

AUDITOR TYLER'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Auditor Ralph W. Tyler has accepted an invitation to speak in Baltimore on the 21st,in connection with the Knights of Pythias Night of the Industrial Fair, which is to be held in the Monumental City.

On the 20th Mr. Tyler is to deliver the commencement address to the graduates of the Freedmen'sHospital class of trained nurses. All who are fortunate enough to hear Mr. Tyler on either of these occasions are certain to enjoy a treat, as the popular and race-loving Auditor for the Navy Department is both an orator and a thinker.

OUR "KENTUCKY COLONY."

Give "Star" Present at the Black-Steward Wedding in Falls City.

Louisville, Ky., April 21. — The largest and most elaborate wedding that has even taken place in the Falls City was that of Miss Jeannette L. Steward and Mr. James H. Black, which took place on the 15th at the spacious home of the bride's parents, Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Steward, 825 Eighth street. Miss Carolyn Steward, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. J. S. Hopson was "best man." The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Frank, pastor of the Fifth Street Baptist Ch. The parlors were crowded with friends, many of whom came from distant points to witness the marriage festival. The upper chambers were filled with hundreds of beautiful, useful and costly presents, the most notable of which was a massive silver set of twenty-four pieces,handsomely initialed, and tastefully arranged in a large silk-lined casket. This beautiful present, valued at fifty dollars, came from the "Kentucky Colony" at Washington, and the donors were Mr.and Mrs.H. P.Slaughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thompson, Rector and Mrs. T. J. Brown, Miss Etta M. Maxwell, Mrs. Annie J. Weeden, Mrs. Mary Starks, Mrs. W. J. Simmons, Miss Effie Simmons, Messrs. Horace Morris, A. J. Bowling and J. E. Buckner.

Miss Steward was a teacher in the public schools of this city, and is an artist and musician of ability. Mr. Black is a highly efficient clerk in the city postoffice. Prof. Steward for twenty-six years editor of the American Baptist, is a veteran in the journalistic world, and Mrs. Steward, as an instructor in music at the State University and a leader in woman's organization work throughout Kentucky, is not less prominent. Mr. Black was at one time connected with the Government Printing Office in Washington.

"Look for the Gilded Dome."

CONGRESSMAN CAMPBELL TO SPEAK.

Congressman Philip P. Campbell, of Kansas, has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, M street between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets northwest, on Friday evening, May 1, at 8 p.m. His subject will be, "The Average American Citizen." Mr. Henry Lassiter, chairman of the committee on arrangements, will preside, and Mr. W. T. Vernon, of Kansas, Register of the Treasury, will introduce the speaker of the evening. Miss Henrietta Vinton Davis, the talented elocutionist, will recite some appropriate selections, and a musical program will be furnished by the Metropolitan A. M. E. Choir, under the direction of Prof. John T. Layton. The committee of citizens in charge of the arrangements is made up of Messrs. John A. Simms, William Beckett, George W. Jones, B. A. Chase, Thomas H. Wright, Charles W. Hale, William H. Wilkes, George W. Brown, Joseph H. Stewart,Thomas W. West, George Robinson, Daniel Williams, and Rev. J. H. Welch, pastor of Metropolitan Church.

Mr. Campbell is gratefully remembered by the colored people of this community as one of the most aggressive opponents of the Heflin amendment providing for a separation of the races on the street cars of the District, and the lively interest they are taking in his forthcoming appearance on the 1st of May indicates that the eloquent representative from Kansas will be greeted by a tremendous crowd. A number of prominent members of Congress have signified their intention to be present on this occasion, and will be heard from briefly.

GOOD INVENTION.

A United States patent was granted to Mr. Shelby J. Davidson, of the Sixth Aditor's Office, on April 14th, for his invention of a new device for rewinding paper on an adding machine. The patent is numbered 884,721, and invests in Mr. Davidson the sole and exclusive right to make, use and sell the device for seventeen years. Mr. Davidson is a clerk in the Sixth Auditor's Office, and is given charge of the adding machines, which he operates with much skill and rapidity. His accurate knowledge of the machinery he uses led him to detect imperfections in it, and to make the improvements represented in the patent above mentioned. This is the second instance in which Afro-Americans clerks in the departmental service here in the city of Wahsington have set to work successfully to improve upon the machinery and tools with which they worked. The other case was that of Mr. Robert Pelham, of the United States Census Office, whose invention of a far better pasting machine that the one handed him by his office led to the adoption of his machine by the Government, for which he was paid a regular royalty.

GOOD WORK.

The annual gardening of the District of Columbia schools was begun April 1. One of its new features in the colored schools is the centralization of the work by the assistant superintendent, Mr. R. C. Bruce,with Miss S. W. Brown as director and Miss Ester Middleton assistant.

The garden centers are Jones,Birney, Cardoza, Randall, Montgomery and the Atipical Schools, where successful gardening has been conducted for the past four years, particularly Jones and Birney Schools, which have made a decided success of both spring and summer gardening.

It was my pleasure to observe the pupils of the former school at work in the garden with their teachers. Never before have I seen more innate interest and enthusiasm in the work.

At Cardoza one hundred and fifty children work seventy-five plots of ground.

Plans are made for future meetings at these centers for the interchange of ideas and to receive instruction from Miss Brown for future work; she formerly gave them in the form of experiments at the Agricultural Grounds.

Efforts for permanent decorations are being made, and any contributions to the schools may be sent to the centers or Miss S. W. Brown at Normal School No. 2.

FLAWLESS PRODUCTION OF ("HIAWATHA."

S. Coleridge Taylor's superb composition, "Hiawatha," was rendered last Thursday evening in flawless style at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church by the S. Coleridge Taylor Choral Society. The chorus comprised one hundred and fifty voices, and was directed by Prof. John T. Layton. All the parts were well sustained, the solo work being entrusted to the hands of Mme.Kittie Skeene Mitchell, of Cleveland, Ohio, soprano; T. Wilcott Swann, of Boston, tenor, and W. H. Richardson, also of Boston, baritone. The audience completely filled the house, and encores were frequent. The business management reflected great credit upon the industry and sagacity of Mr. Arthur S. Gray, secretary, and Mr. A. F. Hilyer, treasurer, of the Society, supported by the vast chorus and the music-loving people of the city. Many white citizens witnessed the performance, with evident enjoyment.

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Her - ze ge - schwind; Husch! e - he der Sturm noch die Blü - te ge - streift, Husch!
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Too Many or Too Heavy Hangings Apt to Spoil the Good Effects—Good Arrangement for the Dark Room.

Too much drapery is apt to make the rooms close and stuffy, and particularly when there is not a large space and the room is not very well lighted, and one must be careful not to produce a cramped effect by shutting out the light. For a moderate sized room with a folding door which leads into another apartment and is of course permanently closed, a good arrangement can be made without using too heavy drapery. Instead of a pair of portieres hung on a rod and falling in heavy folds, take the material and stretch it across the doors, fastening it even with the door, without the rod, more like a panel effect.

When the Material Is Plain.

If the material be plain and not brocade or tapestry it can be draped slightly or laid in folds like box plaits and fastened in the center of the plait with a stud or brass tack. This will give the material a sufficient amount of fullness and do away with the stiffness of stretching plain material tightly over doors. If one happens to possess a mirror in a gold frame or an old colonial heirloom in wood, the effect is particularly good if the mirror is hung against this background and a divan placed beneath it with the cushions of the soft shade which corresponds with the colorings of your room, and the divan cover either matching the drapery of the door or of a shade which is in harmony with it.

Arrangement for Dark Room.

An effect of this kind seen recently in a rather dark room was excellent, but the background in this case was rather more elaborate and consisted, besides the flat piece of velvet over the door, of a top piece. This piece, which was separate, was made of a thin board of about six inches in depth, which was fastened at the top of the door and also covered with velvet, with the edge trimmed with a dull gold braid like a lambrequin, while the folds of the curtain with the brass studs in the center of the folds fell from just below this piece. The edge of the divan cover was of the same material and was trimmed with the same gold braid, and the mirror was a gilt one of a rococo design.

As the room was rather dark, the cushions selected were of the lighter shades of brocade in soft greens, yellows and old rose, and the result with the mirror reflecting the other side of the room and the dark receding background of the curtain was to make it appear much larger and more spacious, and do away entirely with the effect of a curtained doorway.

Oriental Draperies Excellent.

Where one is the happy possessor of some fine tapestry or a bit of Oriental embroidery they can be used instead of the arrangement we have mentioned, and, of course, are much more beautiful. But even with tapestry, if it is not of the finest weave and design, a good effect may be obtained in this same way by putting the tapestry flat against the door and hanging a mirror on it. A divan under the mirror or a deep sofa heaped with cushions is always attractive, and very good effects may be obtained in the matter of soft pillows and couch coverings with the expenditure of comparatively little money in the way of materials, upon the covering of either sofa pillows or couch draperies, if the proper combinations of color are selected and nothing glaring or obtrusive is used.

Rice Border with Creamed Fish.

Put one cupful of rice on to boil in four cupfuls of boiling water, when it has been boiling half an hour add two tablespoonfuls of butter and a teaspoonful of salt. Let it simmer an hour. Wash it fine with a spoon and add two well-beaten eggs and stir for five minutes. Butter a border mold and fill with rice. Put in the oven for a few moments. Turn out on a hot dish and fill the center with creamed fish.

Chicken Dumplings.

Stew chicken until tender, make gravy, before taking up, then pour all in baking pan. Make dumplings with two cupfuls flour, heaping teaspoonful baking powder, two tablespoonfuls of butter, rub in thoroughly and make soft with sweet milk. Roll thin, cut in squares, put over chicken and bake in hot oven. They can be eaten cold and are always light and puffy.

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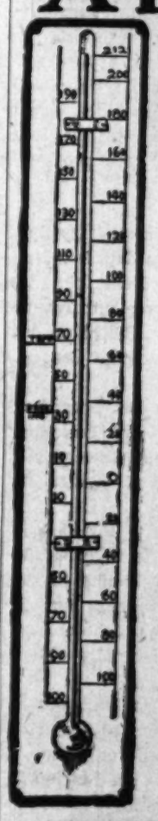

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BUCKWHEAT CAKES FOR TWO.

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One quart lukewarm water, one tablespoonful cornmeal, one teaspoonful sugar, one-half cake of compressed yeast, one cupful buckwheat flour, one cupful white flour; let rise over night; in morning add one teaspoonful salt. Leave two-thirds cupful of batter for starter, and put in cool place until following night, when you repeat as before, with the exception of the yeast (which you do not need again), and the sugar. The second morning turn out the batter you want to use in another dish and add the salt and sugar and a pinch of soda. If any of this batter is left do not put back with the starter, as it is not good to keep after the soda is in it.

By leaving a starter each time and doing as directed, these cakes can be kept going for several weeks, but be sure and not put in salt until just before baking, and they will always be light.

This recipe is sufficient for two people.

Chocolate Pie.

Bake a crust the same as for a cocoanut pie, then fill with this mixture; Put one cup of milk with a pinch of salt and a square and a half of grated chocolate into the double boiler. When hot stir in two level tablespoonfuls of flour moistened to a paste with a little cold milk. Cook, stirring constantly until smooth and thickened, then cook just ten minutes longer. Mix the yolks of two eggs with five tablespoonfuls sugar, and pour the hot mixture over them, stirring well. Return to the double boiler and cook two minutes, stirring constantly. Cool, flavor with vanilla and cinnamon, put into the crust, bake ten minutes, then, after cooling slightly, cover with a meringue made from the whites of the eggs whipped stiff with two tablespoonfuls sugar. Set in a cool oven to puff and color.

Cheese Pudding.

A delicious cheese pudding is made from one five-cent loaf of baker's bread with a half pound of good cheese about the strength of that used in making Welsh rarebit. Cut off the hard crusts of the bread, slice and butter, laying slices loosely in the baking dish with alternate layers of cheese, cut in thin slices. Beat one egg and add a quart of milk with a pinch of salt.

Pour this mixture over bread and cheese and let it soak until every slice is moistened. Bake 35 to 45 minutes until brown on top as in bread pudding. Serve on hot plates and quickly. The hotter the better.

Baked Bean Rarebit.

A novelty in the shape of a bean rarebit is recommended in the Woman's Home Companion as a good way of using up the left-over baked beans. The recipe is as follows:

Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add one teaspoonful of salt, one eighth of a teaspoonful of paprika one-half cupful of milk and one cupful of cold mashed baked beans. Stir until thoroughly heated and add one-half cupful of grated soft, mild cheese. As soon as the cheese has melted serve on small circular pieces of toasted bread or zephyrettes. The recipe is admirably adapted for chafing dish use.

Dandelion Wine.

One gallon dandelion blossoms picked when the sun is shining. Put in stone crock; pour over them one gallon of boiling water. Let stand in a cool place for three days; then put in a porcelain-lined kettle, with the rind of three oranges and one lemon cut up fine. Boil 15 minutes, strain, add three pounds of sugar and the pulp and juice of the oranges and lemon. When lukewarm add half of a yeast cake. Stand one week in a warm place. Strain again; let stand until it stops working, then bottle.

Glazed Carrots.

Wash and scrape the carrots and cook in boiling salted water until tender. Drain; slice and place in a buttered baking pan. Sprinkle sparingly with sugar, salt and pepper, and dot over with butter. Add a half cup of water and bake in a hot oven until brown.

GOOD WAY TO COOK MUTTON.

Recipe That Is Sent to Us from English Kitchens.

Take all the fat out of a loin of mutton; also off the outside if too fat. Remove the skin. Joint it at every bone.

Mix a small nutmeg, grated, with a little pepper and salt, bread crumbs and minced herbs. Dip the steaks into the yolks of three eggs and sprinkle the above mixture all over them.

Place the steaks together as they were before they were cut asunder and put in the oven to bake. Baste with butter and the juice which runs from the meat; sprinkle more of the seasoning over.

When cooked lay it on a hot platter. Have half pint of rich gravy ready besides that in the dish and add two spoonfuls of catsup, rub down a teaspoonful of flour with it. Let this boil, and pour it over the mutton, first skimming off the fat. The meat should be hot while the gravy is being prepared.

Rhode Island Clam Chowder.

Three two-inch cubes fat salt pork, one good sized sliced onion, three-fourths cup water, four cups potato cubes, one quart clams, one pint boiling water, one cup stewed and strained tomato, one-fourth level teaspoon soda, one pint hot milk, two level tablespoons butter, salt and pepper to taste, crackers.

Cook the pork, onion and three-fourths cup water for 20 minutes, then strain and reserve the water. Parboil the potatoes for six minutes and drain. Add the potatoes to the water reserved from the pork and onion, and add the liquor drained from the clams, also the hard part of the clams, chopped fine, and the boiling water. Cook until the potatoes are tender and add the tomato, soda, remaining clams, milk and butter. When very hot add the salt and pepper and crackers, moistened in cold milk.

Egg Sauce for Fish.

Cod is one of the cheapest fishes for boiling purposes, but served with a properly made sauce it becomes a real delicacy. Melt one tablespoon of butter in a saucepan, but do not allow it to brown. Add one tablespoon of flour and stir until smooth, flavor with half teaspoon of salt and one-fourth teaspoon of white pepper. Have ready one cup of hot milk, add this gradually, stir until it reaches the consistency of thick cream, then simmer very gently without stirring for three minutes. Add two hard-boiled eggs chopped or diced, and, just as you remove from fire, one teaspoon of lemon juice and a tablespoon of chopped parsley. Do not allow it to boil after you add the lemon juice, and drain your fish absolutely dry before pouring the sauce over it, otherwise your sauce will become watery.

Remedy for Chapped Hands.

Anyone who is troubled at all with chapped hands can find relief if, after washing their hands before wiping them, they will put a little of the following formula into palm of hands and rub well into hands and wrists, then wipe them thoroughly dry, and after one or two usings the reward will be a soft, white hand. Put part of mixture in a toilet bottle on dressing table, the rest to be kept handy at sink to use after doing anything to wet the hands for a time. When your hands are once well it need not be used so often. Get 20 cents' worth best bay rum and five cents' worth of glycerin at drug store, then buy two lemons and mix the strained juice with the other liquids, then use.

Brown Betty with Peaches.

Prepare a pint of fine stale bread crumbs and stir into them one-third cup of melted butter. Put a layer of the crumbs into the bottom of a baking dish, add a layer of canned peaches drained and cut in pieces. Sprinkle them with a bit of grated lemon rind and a little lemon juice, also a few grains of salt. Add another layer of crumbs and peaches, seasoning as before, then cover with crumbs. Cover and bake for 30 minutes. Thicken the peach syrup with a little cornstarch diluted with a little cold water and flavor with lemon juice.

Takes Place of Water Bag.

Electric appliances are entering into family service at a surprising rate. Hot water bags are superseded by an electric sheet of a given size, exceedingly thin and pliable. It may be purchased at an electrician's supply shop. This thin metal sheet may be heated to three different degrees and thus proves invaluable in the sickroom. The pliability of the metal makes it possible also that this conductor of heat may be changed to all parts of the body.—Vogue.

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REV. NORMAN'S WORK.

Rev. M. W. D. Norman, A.M., D.D., pastor of the Metropolitan Baptist Church, has made his third annual report to the members of his church. Rev. Norman is not only a worker, but a scholar, and his services to the Metropolitan Church are evidenced by his third annual report, which is as follows.

Additional Membership

Received	265
Dismissed by Letter	8
Excommunicated	1
Dismissed by death	16
Total net increase	240

Occasional Services

Marriages	28
Funerals	25
Special sermons	20
Lectures	11

Finances — Collections.

April 9, 1907	$275.57
May	1894.99
June	360.05
July	353.84
August	349.56
September	283.56
October	282.70
November	1658.80
December	523.64
January	338.55
February	292.66
March	372.00
April 9, 1908	80.46
Total	$7066.38
Sunday School	300.89
Y. P. S. C. E.	130.00
Poor Saint Fund	38.00
Total collections from all sources	$7535.87
Balance brought forward from last report	510.75
Grand Total	$8046.62

Disbursements.

Salaries	$1845.00
Floating debt	420.00
Incidentals	640.09
Repairs	2023.82
Bonded debt	1000.00
Interest on bonded debt	725.00
Charities	209.50
Total paid out	$6863.61
Balance in hand	713.52

Again we desire to congratulate each member and friend on the work for the year, and thank God for His goodness toward us as a church. The Lord expects greater things of us, therefore let us strive to do still better this year.

"Bring ye all the tithes to the store house, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith," said the Lord of hosts. "If I will not open you the windows of heaven and pour out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it." Mal. cxi, 10.

God being your helper, my sister, my brother, fill your seat in the church every Sunday, and do not neglect your prayer meetings. Strangers are always welcome at this church. Make yourself known to the pastor and members. Polite ushers will give you comfortable seats. Persons who have no church home here, join with us.

"Let the people praise Thee, O God; let all the people praise Thee. Then shall the earth yield her increase; and God, even our own God, shall bless us."

The Sunday School, under the superintendency of Miss S. E. Miner, is rapidly growing and is in the best condition; as is the Y. P. S. C. E., of which Mr. Daniel W. Chase is president.

M. W. D. Norman, Pastor.
Geo. W. Smith, Treasurer.
W. H. Bolden, Church Clerk.

CIT YBRIEFS.

Attorney Thomas L. Jones will deliver the anniversary address to the students of the Theological Seminary of Lynchburg, Va., May 25.

Assistant United States Attorney W. H. Lewis, of Boston, Mass., who came to the city on legal business with the Department of Justice, and who was so highly entertained while here, left for his home last Monday.

Recorder of Deeds John C. Dancy left the city for the South Saturday evening, where he will make several speeches.

Rev. Simon P. W. Drew is the president of the McKinley Manual Training School.

CASE NOLLE PROSSED.

The case of the United States vs. William E. Walker, charged with assault, was called for hearing in the Police Court Friday morning last.

On the 18th of March, while driving a delivery wagon, the horse became frightened and unmanageable at the intersection of Twelfth and

LEGAL NOTICE.

Perri W. Frisby, Attorney.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Holding a Probate Court.

No. 15204. Administration.

This is to give notice: That the subscriber, of the State of Pennsylvania, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the estate of Sinah E. Pearson, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1909; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

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Mr. Walker was arested by Officer Wheelock and charged with reckless driving. But when the case reached the court it was changed to assault, and Mr. Walker gave a $500 bond pending a hearing.

Attorney W. C. Martin appeared for Mr. Walker. After the Assistant United States District Attorney, Ralph Givens, investigated the facts in the case in his office he concluded that Miss Kopneck's injuries were the result of an accident, and nolle prossed the case.

The local Negro Business League held a meetong Wednesday evening at the residence of President John A. Lankford, 1210 V street northwest. It will co-operate with Baltimore in entertaining the National League next August.

Mr. T. J. Calolway has opened a law office in the Lankford Building, 494 Louisiana avenue northwest. He is associated with Lieut. Walter A. Pinchback.

Architect W. Sidney Pittman is busy these days. He is revising the plans for the $100,000 builing of the Y. M. C. A., and arranging for the erection of a new $20,000 hotel near the Union Station for Mrs. Mary Brown.

By the terms of the will of the late Sinah E. Pearson, of this city, nearly $5,000 worth of real estate is devised to her niece, Mrs. Marion T. Person, of Philadelphia, Pa. Lawyer P. W. Frisby had the will admitted to probate and record.

MR. STEWART'S COMPLIMENTS.

Mr. Samuel G. Stewart, of 1141 Seventh street northwest, has issued, with his compliments, a card giving the boundaries of the twenty-two election districts. Mr. Stewart is an enterprising citizen and a man who is highly respected and liked by a large class of citizens. The Bee congratulates him for his enterprise.

SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

The case of James Williams vs. the Capital Traction Railway Company, for damages resulting from severe injuries incurred while riding on a car of the company, October 3 last, has been satisfactorily and finally settled out of court. Attorney W. C. Martin represented Mr. Williams, and Attorney G. Thomas Dunlop represented the railway company.

The probabilities are that France will do away with the guillotine and use the rope, owing to the increase of crime.

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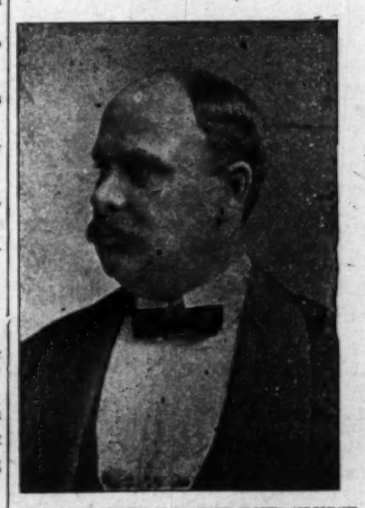

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